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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

T. Kurosawa, et al.

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Examiner: M. Mercier

For: External Skin Preparation

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner For Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed August 14, 2009, (the response to which having been extended by virtue of the concurrent filing of a petition under 37 C.F. R. 1.136(a), and requisite fee submitted herewith), in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: